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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Inventor(s):

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For: ACTIVE CONTROL OF COLLABORATIVE DEVICES

ASSIGNEE NAME: INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORPORATION
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Enclosed are also:

- ☒ 22 Pages of Specification including an Abstract
☒ 9 Pages of Claims
☒ 5 Sheet(s) of Drawings
☒ A Declaration and Power of Attorney
☒ Form PTO 1595 and assignment of the invention to IBM Corporation

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